IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS FORT SMITH DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PLAINTIFF,

VS.

Cr. No. 2:03CR20015-001

MONORABLE ROBERT T. DAWSON

U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE

VICTOR FIDEL GARNICA-MELENDEZ, DEFENDANT.

ORDER FOR REMISSION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT AND FINE

Now on this 17th day of 700, 2006, comes on to be considered the Government's Petition for Remission of Special Assessment and Fine. The Court, being well and sufficiently advised, finds and orders as follows with respect thereto:

- 1. On September 3, 2003, Defendant was sentenced to twenty-four months incarceration, a \$100.00 special assessment and a \$1,500.00 fine.
- 2. The Government moves to remit Defendant's special assessment and fine pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3573, which provides:

Upon petition of the Government showing that reasonable efforts to collect a fine... are not likely to be effective, the court may, in the interest of justice - -

The Government states that the Defendant was deported on December 23, 2004, and that there is no reasonable likelihood that the special assessment and fine can be collected.

4. Upon due consideration, the Government's Petition for Remission of Special

Assessment and Fine is hereby granted and Defendant's special assessment and fine are remitted.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

U.S. DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT ARKANSAS FILED

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CHRIS R. JOHNSON, CLERK

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